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# Township Register

The Pioneer Newspaper of Washington Township

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VOLUME TWENTY

NILES, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1928.

NO. 14

## WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP RANKS AS SECOND IN COUNTY LAND VALUES

### NILES CHAMBER NOT TO DISBAND FOR SUMMER TIME

#### Attendance Committee Gets Free Lunch If More Than 25 Attend Tuesday

Decision not to disband for the vacation was made at the Tuesday meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce, George Bonde and J. E. Townsend being appointed as attendance committee for next week. Past President Lester Duffey urged the importance of having committees at work during the summer months and those present being asked to do all they could individually in keeping up the attendance.

The Florence Restaurant came forth with a gallant gesture and offered to reward the attendance committee with a "free lunch" if more than 25 members attended next week's meeting. Here's a good chance to help two worthy men and true to save a dollar between them.

There was a discussion of the annual banquet once more but nothing definite announced. And, too, the Warm Springs traffic sign came in for its usual prominence. E. E. Dias promises to have the sign "in" by next Tuesday, whatever "in" means.

### MYSTERY SURROUNDS ENGINE EXPLOSION

#### Leno Cunha, of Centerville, Barely Escapes Serious Injuries

Investigations are being made as to the cause of the explosion of the engine in the car owned by Leno J. Cunha, of Centerville, the accident occurring last Saturday when the owner started the engine to drive the car from his garage. The machine was badly damaged, parts of it being blown through the roof and Cunha barely escaped serious injury.

When Cunha stepped on the starter the engine exploded, blowing off the hood and tearing out the radiator, parts of the metal being hurled through the roof of the garage. The steel plate between the engine and the driver's compartment prevented possible injuries of serious nature to Cunha. The car was taken to Corey's garage and the matter is being investigated.

#### MASS OMITTED.

The 10 o'clock mass at the Corpus Christi church will be omitted Sunday. Mass as usual will be held at 8:30 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Helm spent the Fourth in Richmond.

## COMING EVENTS

CAST THEIR  
SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL  
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

July 4-8—California State C. E. Convention at Berkeley.  
July 7—"A Scream in the Dark," at Masonic Home.  
July 11—O. E. S. program by S. P. Co.; Centerville, 8 p. m.  
July 12—Friendly Club, Mrs. Ralph Richmond; 2 p. m.  
July 21—Civil Service Examination, Niles School.  
July 16—Child Welfare Club; Mrs. Geo. Emerson, 2 p. m.  
Every Monday—Story Hour, library, 2:30.

### Total Value of Land And Improvements Reaches \$2,112,600

According to the report on Alameda county revaluation presented to the board of supervisors this week by James G. Stafford, superintendent of the department of reappraisal, Washington Township shows a creditable standing with the other townships, ranking second with a land value of \$14,099,450, and improvements rated at \$7,013,150.

The total value of the taxable land and buildings in Alameda county is \$1,014,442,000. These figures compare with those of last year which gave the total of assessed values on taxable property as \$346,195,600.

Presentation of the report to the board of supervisors marks the conclusion of the county reappraisal which was begun in June, last year, for the purpose of equalizing assessments in accordance with a mandatory provision of the new county charter.

Eight volumes of land value maps of the county, a duplicate set of block books, summary sheets in bound volumes showing the appraisal record in detail for each parcel of land and each building, with a duplicate set for the Assessor, and lot and building computation sheets filed in folders in fireproof metal cabinets, constitute Stafford's final report on the revaluation.

The block book totals of appraised land and building values given in the report show the following municipality and township valuations:

	Land	Improvements
Oakland	\$340,880,950	\$292,809,850
Alameda	34,078,900	32,126,750
Berkeley	65,581,900	92,607,100
Albany	4,158,300	7,559,650
Emeryville	8,175,200	6,829,250
Piedmont	14,186,650	16,457,500
San Leandro	11,055,650	9,874,400
Hayward	5,884,000	5,242,550
Livermore	1,305,000	2,097,900
Pleasanton	497,250	972,700

#### Appraisal values by town:

	Land	Improvements
Eden	\$22,213,300	\$10,033,300
Washington	14,099,450	7,013,150
Pleasanton	3,179,800	1,081,950
Murray	3,481,700	957,300

Stafford's report recommends to the board that they take steps to provide for keeping the appraisal record alive, revised, and continuously reflective of changing conditions. Stafford also declares that the Assessor should be allowed additional experienced deputies and provided with more adequate office quarters.

### Centerville Band At Livermore On the 4th

Anthony Clark, band leader, and his twenty supporting musicians of the Centerville Druid Band, played in the parade and at intervals during the Fourth of July performance at the Livermore rodeo Wednesday afternoon.

### Baby Electrocuted

Grasping the dangling end of a live-wire protruding from an unused light socket in the rear of his home in Old Town, Joe Camarillo, 19 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Razedo Camarillo, last Sunday evening electrocuted himself. The baby is survived by six brothers and sisters and his parents. Funeral services were held from the Pratt Mortuary Tuesday with interment in the county cemetery.

### MATTOS RECOMMENDS FEMININE TRUSTEES

CENTERVILLE MAN LAUDED FOR  
FAITHFUL SERVICE IN  
LOCAL SCHOOLS

Supt. Martin Commends Loyalty of  
Mattos to Schools for the Past  
Thirty-six Years During Which  
Time He has Been Trustee.

In resigning from the board of trustees of the Centerville grammar school, as announced in The Register last week, Judge John G. Mattos states that he has not severed his interest from that institution and that in recommending for appointment, Mrs. George Goit, who has been named his successor, he feels sure the board will find a loyal and gallant worker.

In this connection Judge Mattos exercises a forward-thinking sentiment when he states that he feels every board needs a woman member inasmuch as matters come up from time to time whose settlement need a woman's viewpoint. In practically all advanced communities school boards are including woman members.

John G. Mattos became a member of the Centerville Board of Brammar school trustees thirty-six years ago when many of the parents of the present generation were attending classes in the little frame school house. It seems superfluous to say much about the great influence for good that has always been the result of Mr. Mattos' contact with any project. In an educational way it has been no less than in any other.

As clerk of the board, Mr. Mattos was automatically a member of the High school board during the years that this procedure was in effect.

As chairman of the committee on education in the State Legislature, he was able to accomplish measures for the benefit of the public schools that have meant much to their progress.

Through interest in the school in which he himself was a student in 1879, he has given to it thirty-five years of untiring service.

In connection with Mr. Mattos' resignation, David E. Martin, County superintendent of schools, says: "For thirty-six years he has unselfishly served the people of his community and this service is without flaw, blot or criticism of any sort."

### PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Guisti and daughter, Mal, spent the Fourth at Diamond Camp, where, they report, local scouts to be having a most enjoyable time. They had dinner and supper at Hiker's Rest and on the way home attended the show in Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. MacPherson returned Saturday from a southern motor trip. They visited Los Angeles, San Diego, Tijuana and way points. According to reports, when in Tijuana, they "did as the Romans did."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walton attended the theater in Oakland on the Fourth.

## NILES FIRE DISTRICT NOTIFIED TO PAY SPRING VALLEY WATER CO. \$2100

### VICTORY MFG. CO. PROPERTY TO BE AUCTIONED OFF

#### Sale to Be Held at Niles Bank July 31, at 11 O'Clock A. M.

Property of the Victory Manufacturing Company adjoining the Schuckl Cannery on the main street of Niles will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at the local branch of the Bank of Alameda County, on Tuesday, July 31, at 11 o'clock a. m., according to notice from Fred B. Mellmann, attorney for August May and J. R. Blacow, trustees.

### DEPOSITORS OF BANK OF ITALY ARE 1,347,357

With this issue of The Township Register, the Bank of Italy makes its initial appearance in this publication. This institution like most of the others with headquarters or branches in the township evidently feels that if the messages of the respective enterprises are to be put before the people, then the columns of the Register must be called upon.

It is gratifying to bring to the public news of an institution that has proved its efficiency and its dependability in the manner in which the Bank of Italy has. On another page of this paper a condensed statement of the condition of the Bank of Italy National Trust and Savings Association up to June 29, 1928 appears and the fact that today this organization has 1,347,357 depositors is evidence of the trust and confidence the people have in this guardian of funds of patrons of small and extensive means.

### JUSTICE COURT FINES DRIVER FOR TOO-HEAVY TRUCK

Edward T. Escover, of Livermore, was fined \$15 for operating an overloaded truck upon the highway.

Joe Cunha, of Irvington, implicated in the recent case involving contribution to delinquency of minor girl, had a preliminary hearing before Judge J. A. Silva Tuesday and was bound over to superior court.

Fines for traffic violations were declared as follows:

Henry Christensen of 875 Twenty-second street, Oakland, \$5, speeding.

E. W. Nicholson, 1341 Grove street, Berkeley, \$5, speeding.

Herman C. Timmersan, 1127 Curtis street, Albany, \$10, speeding.

Judge Silva sat for Judge Jacob Hardy, Jr., at Hayward one day last week.

### "Where Oh Where, Has My Little Dog Gone"

"Where, oh where, has my little dog gone, oh where, oh where, can he be, with his age six months and his color, black and tan, oh where, oh where, can he be?" Which is the doleful song being sung by the owner of a puppy of said description according to an announcement in our Classified Department today.

Every dog will have his day and this one had in addition a collar of leather, set with white studs. If you have seen anybody kicking this dog around, refer to the Classified Department for the name of the owner and return said pup to its rightful habitation.

### Fire Commissioners Fail To Receive Notice of Suit Till Already Settled

As would be expressed in certain sections of the country, there's "a niggah in the woodpile" somewhere, when our Sanitary Board, our Water Commission and the officers of our Sanitary District are notified that this part of Alameda County owes the Spring Valley Water company the neat little sum of \$7,529.14 according to judgment rendered by the Superior Court of this county, the latter carrying this information being dated June 6, 1928, and officials of the Fire District board stating this week that this is the first communication they have received informing them that such a suit was in process.

It seems that the Spring Valley Water company paid to the districts taxes for their right to divert waters from Alameda creek and its tributary branches and holding that they were not liable for their riparian rights except at the point of out-take they brought suit for recovery of certain taxes already paid to the districts, the latter quoted below being the result of the suit.

And so the Niles Fire District is gently commanded to allow in this year's budget for sums sufficient to pay \$2,100.27, as its portion of the \$7,529.14.

The letter is as follows:

June 6, 1928.

Board of Directors,  
Niles Fire District,  
Niles, California.  
Attn. A. M. Alves, Secretary.  
Gentlemen:

You are herewith advised that the judgment rendered on the 29th day of November, 1926, by the superior court of this county in the case of the Spring Valley Water company, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. the County of Alameda, defendant, No. 84522, in favor of the Spring Valley Water Company in the sum of \$7,529.14 with interest from the date thereof until paid at the rate of 7 per cent, has now become final; said judgment having been affirmed by the District Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the State of California having denied petition for rehearing thereof. This suit was brought to recover certain taxes levied against and collected from the Spring Valley Water Company for the purposes of your fire district and other districts for the fiscal years 1922-23, 1923-24 and 1922-5; said taxes being levied upon the right of the Spring Valley Water company to take and divert waters from Alameda Creek and its tributary branches in your fire district. The decision in this case holds that such right was not taxable for the purpose of your fire district. The portion of the judgment representing taxes which have been erroneously collected for the purpose of the Niles Fire District and the respective assessment numbers are as follows:

1922-23, Assessment	\$748.50
1923-24, Assessment	299.40
1924-25, Assessment	748.50
Tax Total	\$1,796.40
Interest at 7 per cent from December 1, 1926	303.87
Total	\$2,100.27

Sufficient funds to pay the above portion of the judgment in this case should be allowed in your budget for the fiscal year 1928-29 and submitted with your estimate of expenditures for that fiscal year.

Very truly yours,  
EARL WARREN,  
District Attorney.

## Editorials

By Norman H. Parks  
Publisher Register

### A ROMAN HOLIDAY

THE LIVERMORE rodeo opened Monday with a mild sensation. Hardly had the gates been thrown open to the public when fair members of a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals appeared among the participants and protested the spurs worn by bronco busters, lariat artists and bulldoggers. The battle-scarred rodeo heroes of the occasion dissembled good naturedly, because the move of the lady minions of law appeared to them amusing; which was quite too much for the skirted sheriffs who proceeded to put the culprits under arrest. This topped the climax, and the picturesque boys of the plains—and Hollywood—up and laughed in their pretty faces, and outright refused to be restrained by the law as interpreted by the Humane Society. This nettled the deputized females—in fact, infuriated them—and in the heat of passion a Livermore official of the event got his face slapped in a manner that was a "wow."

So the rodeo literally opened with a "bang."

And before the affair closed that day, three men were carried from the field on stretchers. One suffered a broken vertebra, and received internal injuries; another drew a long scalp wound, and the third also was injured internally, when he was pitched over the head of a wild mustang.

It was a true Roman holiday.

We heard all about the fracas with the ladies, and the spilling of gore on the field of carnage, so the next day we accepted an invitation to view the great show with our own eyes, and draw our own conclusions.

It was the first professional bronco busting and bulldogging event that we had witnessed. In our early youth we spent some time like a year on a cattle ranch in Western Nebraska, and rode broncos and lassoed steers as a matter of business. In those days there wasn't a lot of glamor to the thing, and I can't remember that any of the boys went to the hospital in line of duty. Next to the home ranch, was the large cattle company known as the "Box J." That was where Ted Soddors worked. He was just breaking into fame as a star rider of the West. In a short time after we left the plains and went back home and to the print shop, Soddors won the world's championship bronco busting contest and for many years was a figure of the old West.

So one could hardly call the writer a white-livered hot-house product. And yet we are afraid that is what some of the rodeo fans will feel like hurling at our head when they know exactly how we feel about this rodeo business.

We had sat in the grand-stand but five minutes when a bald-headed man riding an iron-grey outlaw, went over its head and landed on the back of his neck. When he was in mid-air we had a premonition that the man was going to suffer in the fall. The stretcher-bearers rushed on the field and carried the luckless rider before the reviewing box and on to the hospital. For some reason or other, we cannot get pleasure out of seeing other people hurt and, possibly killed. Of course, you know, this is a sign of weakness and downright pusillanimousness. The thing made us sick in the pit of our stomach, and try as we might to avoid it, our thoughts took us along with the injured man on his journey to the hospital, then jumped into the future and followed his

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## CENTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

EDITORS: Mrs. F. O. Bunting and Mrs. George Coit

Mrs. Ernest Roderiquiz is recovering from a recent illness and will soon be able to resume her business duties.

Frank Dusterberry, Jr., was host on Wednesday evening to a group of his boy associates, James and Clarence Graham, Bobby Salz, Reginald Agua, Eddie Moore, Fred Rogers, and Gilbert Rich. During the evening the boys organized a club with Frank, Jr., as president; Clarence Graham, vice-president; Reginald Agua, secretary, and James Graham, treasurer.

Mr. Fred Dusterberry left Monday for a week's stay at the Ormsby ranch in El Dorado county.

Mrs. George Coit and daughter, Jean, are spending two weeks in Berkeley.

Little Miss Doris Colter of Berkeley is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ed Hawley.

For some time past, local organizations under the auspices of the Washington Township Country club, have supported a bed at Del Valle Farm. An additional child has been sent from the Township, making two wards from this district.

Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry attended the luncheon given by Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth on Saturday.

Judge Allen Norris, as delegate from the local Camp, attended the session of the W. O. W. in Oakland last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Attwood will spend two weeks in Palo Alto leaving Tuesday. His place will be filled by others during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sharman left for a camping trip Saturday to be gone two weeks.

Miss M. Knudson of San Francisco, visited friends Sunday.

Mrs. C. Emerson was in Santa Cruz last week.

Mrs. A. T. Borst, daughter and son from Huntington Park, arrived on Tuesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Alma Huntley and Mrs. Charlotte Foster spent a week at Clear Lake. They are now visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Salz, gave their son, Robert, a dinner party followed by an evening of games and pleasures. Almost every one won a prize. The shades of the "4th" was seen in decorations--each place at the table had "a bunch of fire crackers--there were also harmless pistols. It was late before the party broke up, and it was a "keen" one! As expressed by one of the guests.



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The unusual bright afternoon with St. James Guild was spent Wednesday with Mrs. B. Hawley as hostess. Plans were made for the dinner and fete to be given September 22nd. Delicious refreshments were enjoyed and the ladies adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. Bergstrom in San Jose on September 5th. All members are asked to make or promise something to sell for the 22nd. There will also be a mystery table.

The friends of Miss Arwina Ormsby will be glad to know that she was able to be brought home last week, and is doing very nicely.

## A WEEKLY CHAT WITH LOVERS OF BOOKS

In these days of daring adventure and astounding discoveries in the fields of science, stories of the ordinary fiction class seem pale in comparison with the thrilling accounts of men who dare to fly the oceans' widths or explore the wastes of unknown icy perils. No boy will ever get the same thrill out of the old adventure tales that his father did, when he can read in the daily papers of Lindberg, Amundsen, Byrd, or Noble.

Perhaps this has something to do with the revival of interest in biographies and autobiographies--a desire to know something of the real facts of men and women of achievement. Working upon this basis, Louisa M. Hoopa, of the Brookline Public Library, has selected some of the outstanding stories of interesting people, a few of which are mentioned below.

Mrs. John Adams is one of the local readers, we happen to know, who is especially interested in biography right now, and she has prepared for our book corner a short list of some of the volumes she would recommend for this particular shelf of our summer library.

### "Some Books I have Liked"

By MYRTLE MARY ADAMS  
"Kit Carson," by Stanley Vestal.

A lively and authentic story written in language that vitalizes the theme.

"Caste and Outcast" by Dhan Gopal Mukerji. "Caste" pictures the author's early life in a fine Brahmin home while "Outcast" shows him transplanted to the San Francisco bay region, working at strange tasks for his bed and board and companionship with stranger comrades while he intermittently attends the University of California.

"My Garden of Memory" by Kate Douglas Wiggin. After reading this delightful human chronicle one knows why it was said of K. D. W. --"She has a gift for friendship."

Autobiography--Wilfred Grenfell. A sturdy tale of a modern, practical saint who is physician, pastor, advocate, judge and friend to the people of Labrador.

"The Iron Puddler" by Secretary of Labor Davis. A good book for those who think the world is "agin them and they've never had no show." It also tells of a splendid practical philanthropy.

"The Boyhood of John Muir" by John Muir. Courage, honesty and rampant ingenuity are here portrayed.

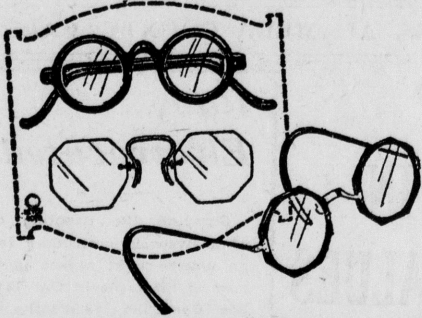
"Autobiography"--Charles Stetzel. We here learn what the "Sidewalks of New York" signify in the upbringing of certain young Americans. A timely subject.

"A Hero to His Valet" by James Amos. An intimate picture of the Roosevelt family by a valet to whom his master was a hero. The writer unconsciously gives a fine picture of himself and the beauty and dignity of intelligent, loyal service.

"Through Thirty Years in the Courts of Europe," by Henry Wycam Steed. The keen observation and carefully considered deductions of a newspaper man.

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"Abraham Lincoln," by Lord Charnwood. "Theodore Roosevelt," by Lord Charnwood. Here is scholarly writing as well as careful biography. Lord Charnwood treats his subjects subjectively and is more interested in their moral re-

actions and motives than in their historical acts.

"Ten Years on the German Border," by Maurice F. Eagan. Clear-eyed and reasonable -- a valuable contribution to pre-war literature. "Life and Letters of Henry Hines Page," Edited by Burton Hendrick. The story of a great American greatly told. We have here literature, history, and the portrait of a fine American gentleman, who was also a scholar and a diplomat.

A few of the books recommended by Louisa M. Hooper are: "Through Life and Round the World," by Raymond Blathwayt, a

curate of the Church of England and later a journalist. An engaging book, a veritable gold mine of anecdotes for the after dinner speaker.

"Autobiography," by Andrew Carnegie.

"Story of My Life," by Helen Keller.

"Story of My Boyhood and Youth" by John Muir--a story of pets and a Scotch up-bringing.

"Margaret Ogilvy," by J. M. Barrie, an intimate sketch of Barrie's mother.

(Others by request from News Department, Township Register.)

## A NATIONAL BANK

### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION

## BANK OF ITALY

NATIONAL TRUST & SAVINGS ASSOCIATION

June 29, 1928

### RESOURCES

First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate.....	\$225,326,291.70	
Other Loans and Discounts.....	185,217,189.62	\$410,543,481.32
United States Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness.....	158,484,951.02	
State, County and Municipal Bonds.....	42,898,311.43	
Other Bonds and Securities.....	28,921,012.21	
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	2,850,000.00	
TOTAL U. S. AND OTHER SECURITIES.....		233,154,274.66
Due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	34,260,085.54	
Cash and Due from Other Banks.....	69,027,847.45	
TOTAL CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS.....		103,287,932.79
Banking Premises, Furniture, Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults (289 Banking Offices in 165 California Cities).....		25,945,668.32
Other Real Estate Owned.....	1,767,937.07	
Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit and Acceptances.....	24,098,002.06	
Interest Earned on Bonds and Loans.....	5,549,808.48	
Other Resources.....	328,419.71	
TOTAL RESOURCES.....		\$804,675,524.41

### LIABILITIES

DEPOSITS: Savings.....	\$445,140,320.66	
Commercial.....	221,803,874.60	\$666,944,195.26
Letters of Credit and Acceptances.....		24,071,372.06
Circulation.....		5,883,750.00
Dividends Unpaid.....		3,017,202.59
		699,916,519.91
CAPITAL.....	\$50,000,000.00	
SURPLUS AND PROFITS.....	54,759,004.50	
INVESTED CAPITAL.....		104,759,004.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES.....		\$804,675,524.41

All charge-offs, expenses and interest payable to end of half-year have been deducted in above statement.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Killian and children, of Oakland, called on the Bliss family last Thursday.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mrs. W. E. Waite and family and also Mrs. Waite's mother, Mrs. Winthrop, from Alameda, moved into the Jas. Mendocia home on the Island last Thursday, June 28, to remain for the summer. They have as visitors for the week, Mrs. A. Sparrow and daughter, also M. McCoy, uncle of Mrs. Waite, all from Alameda.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Juhl, Katherine and Marcella Bliss and Dan Quarteroni have been in Yosemite this week.

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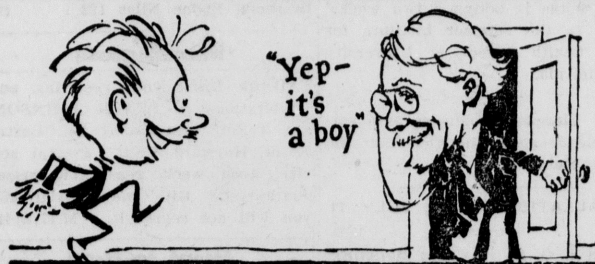
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THIS IS A GOOD THING TO REMEMBER!

LION HUNTER  
LOSES EYE IN  
LINE OF DUTY

J. Bruce, Recent Speaker At Men's Club Is Seriously Hurt

Jay Bruce, state lion hunter who spoke here recently to the Men's Club, got his lion, as usual—but it cost him the sight of his left eye. They're all talking about it in the State Fish and Game Commission, and about the oft-expressed fear that some day his precarious calling would cost him his sight.

Last night at the St. Francis Hospital, where he is being treated, the veteran hunter declared that his accident will not stop him from continuing his work.

"My sighting eye is still sound," he declared, despite his pain: "I'll be back after the cats again pretty soon."

It happened last Friday, near Georgetown, Eldorado County. Bruce and his son, Jay, Jr., were following a huge lion along the bottom of the Rubicon River canyon.

Young Bruce fired and wounded the beast, which plunged into a tangled thicket of underbrush. The elder Bruce leaped after animal.

Suddenly a stick snapped beneath his foot. One end of it flew upward and pierced his left eye. Despite the pain he continued after the lion and a moment later dropped it with a single shot. It was his three hundred thirty-ninth kill.

His son hurried away to get help. It was five miles to the nearest house. When he returned he found that his father had climbed 2,500 feet to the top of the canyon and was waiting there for aid.—Examiner.

DECOTO

By ORVILLE BLOSE

Mrs. Emma McNulty, Ray McNulty and A. N. Benson have moved to their home in Broadmoor.

Mrs. E. Caminada and children are spending a month's vacation at Mt. Lassen. They are visiting friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zwissig returned from an extended trip.

Mrs. Elsie Luna and son, Norman, are spending the week at her sister's in Warm Springs.

Orville Blose is the delegate from the Decoto Christian Endeavor and will attend the various sessions at Berkeley. A primary election was held at the last meeting.

The P. A. Swanson family is entertaining a number of friends from Texas this week.

Clarence Freitas has returned to work after several days confinement at home with a foot infection.

Mrs. L. B. Brown's son visited her Sunday. He is attending summer session at University of California.

A. A. Amaral and family motored to Capitola Sunday.

A. Ferrante and family spent the Fourth in Alum Rock.

Alvin Searles, Lawrence Pimentel and Ernest Pimentel played baseball in Vallejo on the Fourth with the Navy team.

The Southern Pacific company here handled 2,996.136 pounds of freight during the month of June.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Friends in Niles have received word from Mr. and Mrs. Klinkle, who have been visiting in Illinois and are leaving this week for Iowa.

Mrs. Emille Chittenden sent word to local friends from Niagara Falls this past week.

Mrs. Forrest Bishop is entertaining Miss Barbara Ingrahm, of Gridley, and Miss Betty and Master Eugene Robinson, of Oakland.

Miss Hirsch, Lloyd Fournier and party were in Yosemite this past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pierce and family will occupy the cottage recently vacated by the E. B. Hodges in Niles.

Native Daughters and Sons to Have Jubilee

Fruitvale Parlors 177 and 252, N. S. G. W., will hold a big joint public installation of officers in Woodman of the World hall, 3256 East Fourteenth street, Oakland, on Friday evening, July 6, at 8 p. m. Frances O'Brien and Edwin Schnarr will be inducted into office as presidents, of their respective parlors. The installing officers at the installation will be Augusta Huxol of Piedmont Parlor No. 87, N.D.G.W., and Frank Perry of Brooklin Parlor 151.

Families and friends of the members, as well as the public, are cordially invited to attend.

County School Board Finishes Season Work

Requisitions for purchase of new school supplies for next fall have been sent to the various merchants for bids, according to E. D. Bristow, local member of the county board, who states that the board's work has been finished for the season. Considerable additions to the course of study in compliance with the recent state adoptions were brought about.

"Ladies of the Mob" To Be Seen in Niles

Clara Bow and Richard Arlen will play in "Ladies of the Mob" at next Sunday's and Monday's performance at the Niles theater, this program said to be one of "blazing hair" blazing personality, a heroine who blazes her way through a series of thrills in a tense drama of the underworld. The picture is made by the director of "Wings" and "The Legion of the Condemned."

This evening Rin Tin Tin is on the program and Saturday Tim McCoy and Claire Windsor will be seen in "Foreign Devils," a red-blooded melodrama of a riding, fighting, loving Yankee who played the part of hero in the Boxer uprising.

On Thursday, July 12, "Thanks for the Buggy Ride," will be the feature.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Crane spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, of San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Juhl, Marcella Bliss, Katherine Sullivan and Ella Sullivan motored to Santa Cruz recently.

Political Announcements FOR SUPERVISOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as supervisor from the First Supervisorial district of Alameda county, subject to the will of the voters of the primary election on August 28, 1928.

My record is one worthy of recognition, having devoted my entire time to the interests of the people of my district.

(Signed) RALPH V. RICHMOND.



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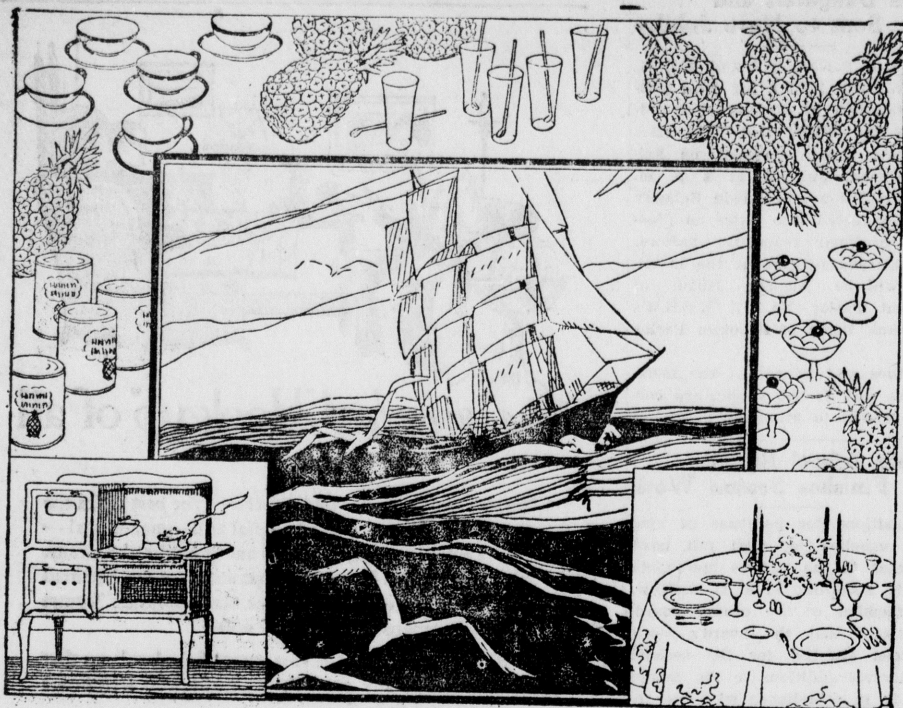
Interest on Savings Deposits

For the six months ending June 30, 1928, a dividend has been declared at the rate of Four (4) per cent per annum on Savings Deposits payable on or after July 2, 1928. Dividends not called for will be added to the deposit account and earn interest from July 1, 1928. Deposits made on or before July 10, 1928, will bear interest from July 1, 1928.

R. A. BLACOW,  
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## When Your Ship Comes In From Hawaii

EVERYBODY watches for a ship to come in, a ship that will bring some long-looked-for happiness, some especial joy. The cargoes are all different, but they carry in small or large parcels the fulfillment of wishes, even the most trifling.

The housekeeper who really cares for her job is full of wishes, and mostly they center around some new concoction to set before her family at dinner. She loves to see the happy surprise on their faces and hear their pleased comments. The ship of recent date that gave her most cause for gratitude was that which brought to her pantry shelves canned Hawaiian pineapple. She added it to many recipes and made it the "raison d'être" of many others, before unknown, and offered to her family for their delectation.

Housewives who have tried only a few ways of serving pineapple may be glad to experiment with the following recipes which have been tested by well-qualified cooks and found good. There is a recipe here for almost every course.

**SAUTEED PINEAPPLE:** Sliced Hawaiian canned pineapple browned in butter and put around chicken, turkey, or any of the light meats makes not only an attractive decoration but adds piquancy to the meat. Instead of the sauté, a can of pineapple may be emptied into a shallow dish, each slice by itself and not overlapping and allowed to simmer in the juice until the fruit is clear. Decorate a platter with this in the same way.

Fry bacon and remove to hot

platter and keep hot. Season a little flour with salt and pepper, dip sliced canned pineapple into the flour covering both sides and brown in the hot bacon fat. Serve with lettuce.

Pineapple may be used in numerous ways as an ingredient in salads but the very best combination of all, a salad that may be used as a course at dinner or that is satisfying enough to form the main dish at luncheon is called:

**"BEST OF ALL" SALAD:** Make on individual plates a fairly substantial bed of finely shredded lettuce. Cover with celery thinly sliced crosswise. Lay on this a slice of canned pineapple. Cover the center with a square of cream cheese. Around the pineapple place prunes that have been stoned and stuffed with walnuts. Either mayonnaise or oil and lemon dressing may be used.

Almost any fruit cup is improved by the addition of canned pineapple. The following are favorite combinations:

**FAVORITE FRUIT CUP:** Put in layers of sherbet glasses diced apple, diced banana, crushed (or sliced, cut in small pieces) pineapple. Fill the glass with the juice of preserved strawberry or cherry. Top with whipped cream.

**WATERMELON AND PINEAPPLE:** Seed and cut into small pieces the red part of a watermelon. Mix with cut, sliced canned Hawaiian pineapple. A few seedless raisins with this adds character both in looks and taste.

**CANTALOUPE AND PINEAPPLE:** Cantaloupe may be substi-

tuted for watermelon in the above recipe. Fresh strawberries, walnuts and sliced pineapple also make a pleasing fruit cup.

A hot pineapple dessert that always finds favor is

**PINEAPPLE SOUFFLE:** Melt 2 tablespoons shortening; add 4 tablespoons flour and stir till smooth. Add ¼ teaspoon salt, ½ cup sugar, 1 cup milk, and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Take from fire and mix in the well-beaten yolks of 3 eggs, then 1 can of crushed Hawaiian pineapple. Fold in stiffly beaten whites of 3 eggs, pour into a greased baking-dish, set in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven. Serve immediately.

**PLAIN PINEAPPLE HARD SAUCE:** Cream thoroughly 4 tablespoons butter with ½ cup sugar. Add 1 teaspoon vanilla and 1 cup drained crushed pineapple.

**PINEAPPLE-EGG SAUCE:** Beat well the whites of 4 eggs, adding 2 tablespoons sugar and beat again. Add 2 cups crushed Hawaiian pineapple, drained. Beat well and serve.

**COOL PINEAPPLE DRINKS:** In making all drinks it is better to boil the sugar in water first and cool before adding the fruits. Using 2 cups water and one of sugar as a foundation, delightful drinks may be made by adding the juice of 3 lemons, 3 oranges, and the juice from 1 can of sliced Hawaiian pineapple. Or, add to this a pint of freshly infused tea thoroughly cooled. Or, without the tea (as desired) add a bottle of ginger ale.

## CLUB PLAY TO BE GIVEN FOR MASONIC HOME

### Eastern Stars To Furnish Entertainment and Refreshments

"A Scream in the Dark," the successful two-act comedy presented at the Leal theater recently by the Dramatic section of the Country Club of Washington Township, will be given by the same cast Saturday evening at the Masonic Temple at Decoto, the performance to be witnessed by the residents there and a large visitation of Alameda County Masons.

Those taking part are Mrs. George Colt, Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, Mrs. J. E. Townsend, Franklin Brown, N. Lax, Mrs. R. L. Pond, Mr. Jones and the two Pond boys.

Ladies of Alameda Lodge of Masons and the Orient Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and their families will give an entertainment at the Masonic home in addition to the presentation of the play. It is hoped that there will be a 100 per cent attendance. Coffee, ice cream and cake will be served, each lady in both lodges being asked to bring or send a cake.

## Niles News

(From I. O. O. F. Lodge Bulletin) Brother and Sister Klinkle are on an extended tour of the East. They will visit in some of the leading cities of Kansas, Missouri and Iowa. They intend to visit relatives they haven't seen for years. They will go by the way of the Santa Fe Trail, and return the Victory Highway.

Brother and Sister Klinkle expect to be away about six weeks.

Brothers Blum and Mezzo received the third degree in Oakland and are now full fledged Odd Fellows. We expect them to be at lodge every Monday night.

Brother Rose reports July 11, the date set for installation of officers at Pleasanton lodge No. 55. A large attendance is expected.

Brother Rose takes the opportunity of repeating his offer of a three-link ring to the brother, bringing in the most members during his term of office. The ring is to be either a white, yellow or green gold as the brother winning it may prefer. Come, brothers let us make this a banner year and see who will win the ring.

Brother C. F. Studebaker and Sister Martha Schmidt have decided that brotherly and sisterly love wasn't quite enough so they decided to make it a little more complete by getting married June 10, 1928.

Brother Guss Swanson is expected to follow Brother Studebaker's example in the near future.

D. D. G. M. Brother Roy Rose made a business trip to Grand Lodge Monday, June 18, in San Francisco.

Brother P. A. Ellis, secretary of Niles 382, is on the jury in Oakland and is making daily trips. Look out, Brother, and don't speed.

Sister Lillian Stivers, who is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Meyer, at Mills Gardens, Oakland, was presented with a beautiful pin by the Veteran Rebekahs. Her health is a little improved.

Our D. D. G. M. paid an official visit to Mission Peak Lodge, No. 119, on Wednesday night. Many interesting matters were discussed and an instructive lecture was given by Brother Rose.

Niles Lodge is doing things this term, with four applications for membership on the secretary's desk last meeting night and the promise of more to come.

District Deputy Grand Master Brother Roy Rose, has been quite busy the last few weeks calling on the several lodges of the district. Brother Solong is improving quite rapidly, the brothers of Niles are glad to report.

CORNING—\$45,000 new theater will be built here.

## Classified Advertising and READER NOTICES

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### RATES

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The Register will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement.

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Copy Received up to 3 p. m., Thursday

## STORY HOUR AT LIBRARY PROVES POPULAR WEEKLY

### Mrs. Roland Bendel Tells Fairy Stories To 17 Youngsters

Seventeen youngsters between the ages of 6 and 12 years enjoyed the two fairy stories told by Mrs. Roland Bendel at the Niles Free Public Library, Monday afternoon. This story hour will be held each Monday afternoon at 2:30 and all children of the community are invited to attend, the program being free to the public.

An attractive poster announcing the story hour has been placed in the lobby of the library.

### If You Have a Spare Room Let Us "Let" It

If you have an extra room that you are not using why not turn it to account? There's a splendid way in which to make this vacant room a paying investment, advertised in the Classified Department of The Register this week.

## PERSONALS

H. B. Rathbun, Mr. Mendenhall and Paul Johnson are away on a month's fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Murray have been in Oakland this week for a few days on account of the illness of Mr. Murray's mother.

Miss Lena Schinack, county health nurse is taking a two weeks' course in the summer institute for public health nurses at University of California.

Mrs. Florence Robinson and several friends spent the Fourth at the Belvoir Hotel.

### INSTALLATION NIGHT, JULY 11

(From I. O. O. F. Lodge Bulletin) DO NOT FORGET the meeting in the Odd Fellows Hall on the evening of July 11, 1928. That is installation night of the officers for the ensuing term. That of itself may not be anything new to you, BUT it is to be an OPEN MEETING—one to be attended by yourself, the Rebekahs and your friends, and following the installation there will be dancing and refreshments. COME—bring your wife, mother, sister, and your sweetheart, along with the males of the family—BUT the principal thought to keep in mind is to COME. This means the entire District 36.

### For Sale

TYPEWRITER—Remington Standard typewriter for sale at a real bargain. In first class condition. Come and look at it and try it out. Boltano's Italian Restaurant, Niles. Jy5c

FOR SALE—Broilers, hens and rabbits, at Wellingtons, Niles-Alvarado road. J28;Jy5p

### LOTS. ACREAGE IN SUBDIVISION.

Near new San Mateo, Mt. Eden Bridge (now building) good soil; all level; near Hayward. Now is the time to buy. Address H. Mohr, Box 191-2, Hayward, Cal. m17-jy5p

### Lost and Found

LOST—Foxhound pup about 6 months old. Black and tan. Had leather collar with white studs. Reward. B. K. Smith, 264 Main street, Hayward. Phone 123-J Jy5-12p

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WANTED—Clean Rags. The Register office will pay 5c lb for strictly CLEAN rags. No buttons or buckles. J28-tf-dh

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### Want to Rent

ROOM WANTED—Young business man of good habits wants room in private home. Address Box N. Register. Jy5-dh.

### For Rent

FOR RENT—On Cherry Lane, modern four-room cottage with bath and fireplace, fruit trees and garage. Call Niles 110. Jy2-12p

FOR RENT—Five-room house in Niles. Close to station; partially furnished; garage; big barn; large lot for garden, chickens and cows. Mrs. J. L. Smith, Niles. J14;Jy5p

## Classified Ads

In the classified ads you may find the answer to many problems of your daily life that you have been trying to solve. Read over the want ads in this issue. They will tell you what other folks do with these items.

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## New Niles Theater

Clara Bow in "Ladies of the Mob," Niles Theater, Sunday-Monday

THURSDAY—Rin Tin Tin in "THE DOG OF THE REGIMENT."

SATURDAY—Tim McCoy and Claire Windsor in "FOREIGN DEVILS." Red-blooded melodrama, charming romance. Tim McCoy as a riding, fighting, loving Yankee hero, in the exciting days of the Boxer uprising. If good, honest thrills are what you're hungry for, here's your meat.

SUNDAY-MONDAY—Clara Bow and Richard Arlen in "LADIES OF THE MOB." Blazing hair, blazing personality, Clara blazes her way through a scorching series of thrills, in a tense drama of underworld molls and mobs, made by the director of "WINGS," and the "LEGION OF THE CONDEMNED."

THURSDAY, July 12—"THANKS FOR THE BUGGY RIDE."

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### LISTENING IN AT THE RODEO

There are two kinds of people in the world—bulldozers and hot dogs. Some make a lot of racket about what they are doing and collect the jitneys. Others size up a proposition, dive in and win the big prize—or lose it—and maybe get stepped on in the bargain. Maybe after all it's just as well to call your wares; and one nicker in the hotdogger's hand is worth two in the judge's.

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Mother in the grandstand: "Darling, do you see how well those horses mind the man?"

Observant five-year-old: "Yes, mother, but they've been trained."

Problem—Is this a bedtime story for Ma or the sweet child?

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Somebody said the man manipulating the camera in the arena was one "to shoot the bull." Well, far be it from me to say.

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Ima Nutt says she was all disappointed because they kept talking about bulldozers and there wasn't a single bull dog in the whole show.

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We agree with Ike the clown. Here's one that would take Solomon to answer. The announcer kept yelling, "Sit down, sit down, sit down in front!" Now we ask you did you ever see anybody sit down in front?

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Ima Nutt exclaimed when the calves ran into the arena, "Oh, aren't they darling little cowlets?"

Old-time cowboy standing near: "Miss, them ain't cowlets; them's bullets."

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Seriously speaking though, the Humane Society that is trying to break up rodeos on account of there being too much cruelty demonstrated toward the animals must all be cross-eyed, for if there's any protection needed, it's the boy and not the bull. It takes sheer nerve and courage to dive from a rearing horse on to the horns of a raging bull and in addition to courage it takes judgment, quick thought and quicker action to emerge the victor. Our hat is off to the bulldogger if he must bulldog. Personally we wouldn't want to do our reducing that way but those well-intentioned folks who are organizing to protect the animals ought to form a nursery school for young bulls to teach them to come into the corral when spoken to.

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Ima Nutt said on the whole she enjoyed the "road-o" very much. The announcer was so cute.

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California Chambers of Commerce who want to impress eastern tourists with the spirit of the old west might do well to advertise the "cow fights" along with the crumbling missions. Every well-rounded personally conducted Cook's tour through the golden west should include at least one round-up. One's first visit leaves a fascinating impression of the charm of what the good old days must have been even if we do know that the trick roper is an ex-movie man and the announcer is all dolled up in wild west outfit just because he looks better that way.

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Besides, you have to give Livermore credit for getting up a big show and having a lot of people in town. It means "beezness."

### WATCH THE DATE

In the same line with your name on your paper the correct date when your subscription expires is supposed to appear. Notice this date. If it indicates that the subscription has expired, kindly send in your renewal.

## Plea Made to Sustain Spirit Of Old West Through Rodeo Contests

Inasmuch as most of the readers of the Register have read in the eastbay papers comments upon the efforts of certain persons to curtail the procedure of rodeos and wild west shows in California, the statement given out by the Livermore Stockmen's association is given below. As stated in last week's Register, officers of this association have offered the rodeo park, free of indebtedness to the Livermore Legion for their use and as a memorial to war heroes who made the supreme sacrifice, this being a fitting consummation to a project which originated through the need for funds for the Red Cross to take care of boys returned from the battlefields.

Thomas W. Norris, president, John McGlinchey, vice-president; M. G. Callaghan, secretary-treasurer; and directors W. Rees, C. Owens, Leo Hansen, and R. P. Bernhardt give the following statement regarding the rodeo and its history at Livermore:

### SHALL THE WEST DIE?

Today, while cowboys and cowgirls, challenging each other's skill and daring in contests which are the last remaining picturization of the old, the gloriously romantic west, a movement that would completely eliminate the Spirit of the West is being organized.

While you are thrilled by daring riders; while you marvel at the skill of dextrous ropers; while the great Livermore Rodeo is entertaining thousands of those who still love the Spirit of the West, initiative petitions are being circulated in an attempt to place upon the ballot next November a measure that would forever destroy the Spirit of the West.

Today the rodeo is on trial. And you are the judge.

The fate of the rodeo, the fate of the spirit of the west, is in your hands. You have the power to make the final decision.

With true western spirit, we "lay our cards on the table."

They charge "cruelty." While representatives of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals are honored guests at the rodeo, working with officials and judges to prevent mishandling of animals, they charge "cruelty." While Livermore stockmen line the arena, watching their own cattle and horses being ridden, roped and bulldogged, they charge "cruelty."

They are trying to legalize bulldogging. Bulldozers at the Livermore rodeo grasp the animals by the horns and place a rubber band around its nose. Is that "cruelty?"

They are endeavoring to prevent steer roping. Roping is the real art of the cowboy. It is his only method of catching the wild steer that roams the ranges and the exhibition at the Livermore rodeo is given by only the most skilled in the art. Can you call it "cruelty?"

Read the rules. You will notice that every bit of rough handling, no matter whether intentional or not, is punishable by either fine or disqualification. Can a cowboy afford to be "cruel" when he knows that instant disqualification is the penalty?

You sit in the judge's seat today. Decide for yourself whether the charges of cruelty are founded in fact or based on the old blue law theory that those things which give pleasure and enjoyment must be destroyed.

It is for you to decide the fate of the rodeo. We leave that decision to you, confident in the belief that you will not permit the spirit of the west to die.

### HISTORY OF THE LIVERMORE RODEO.

On the same ground where, in the days "before the gringo came," dons thrilled their senioritas with daring feats of horsemanship at the early Spanish rodeos, the Livermore Stockmen's Rodeo association this week presented its twenty-sixth annual exposition of cowboy sports.

Less than ninety minutes ride from the business center of the Pacific coast, the town of Livermore is one of the few remaining strongholds of the spirit of the west. In the hills surrounding the valley are thousands of cattle herded by the sons of men who made western history. It is wholly fitting that Livermore should be the site for this picturization, vivid and elaborate, of

## CENTERVILLE

(More on Page Two)

### Mr. Morgan Davies Weds Miss Norris

In a beautifully arranged garden setting, Miss Beatrice Norris and Mr. Morgan Davies were married at a 5 o'clock service Saturday afternoon. Rev. Father Mulligan of San Francisco, an old friend of the Norris family, who married the bride's father and mother more than two decades ago, performed the ceremony.

The bridal party consisted of Miss Francis Andrews, maid of honor; Miss Mila Norris, Miss Jeanette Porter, Miss Constance Lucio, bridesmaids; Mr. Albert Walberg, best man; Mr. Matthew Brady, Mr. Wm. Melsher and Mr. Neville Eddlestone, ushers; Thomas McWhirter, ring bearer; and Patricia Pixley, small cousin of the bride, flower girl.

The bride's gown was of coral tulle, worn with a coral tulle veil trimmed with old ivory point lace. Her bouquet was made up of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The maid of honor wore white lace over blue with a picture hat to match, while the bridesmaids were beautifully and piquantly gowned in shades of yellow, peach and orchid.

After the reading of the service the guests, who were composed of both families, were taken to the old Norris home where a reception was held, with Miss Harriet and Miss Emma Norris pouring, and Rev. Father Mulligan giving a most touching toast to the former mistress of the old home and grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Margaret Norris.

The wedding was unusual in its touches of sentiment and beauty. The day chosen was the birthday of the bride's mother; the flowers in the bridal scene were the old favorites of generations past; the cake was the two-months' labor, wonderfully consummated, of a life-long family friend.

Miss Beatrice is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garret T. Norris. She is a graduate of the Washington Union High school, and studied architecture at the University of California and Oakland Polytechnic school. She is an unusually lovely girl with a wholesome, sunny nature that makes her beloved by friends of all ages, her charm appealing equally to young and old.

Mr. Morgan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Davies, of Oakland, and is a student-engineer.

The young couple have taken an apartment in Oakland.

### Consult Classified Department for Eats

If you're wondering what to have for dinner tonight or whenever, you will find a good suggestion in the Classified Department of the Register this week, for Wellingtons recently established in their new up-to-date poultry ranch on the Niles-Alvarado road are offering at market prices broilers, hens and rabbits, all guaranteed to be of excellent eating quality.

Miss Jane Cobb has been visiting her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Shinn, this week.

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### Classified Department Will Find You a House

If there's one thing that signifies a good, live town, it's the fact that there is a shortage of houses. Go into a city and find on every house a sign, "To Let" and you'll find a dead town. But in Niles the opposite is true. People coming into the community have been having difficulty for the past few years in finding suitable residences.

If you are one of these, there's an attractive house spoken of in this week's Classified Department of The Register, which may just fit your needs.

Misses Helen Bliss Jane Cahill, Sarah Jacobson and Mr. Jacobson have been spending the week in Yosemite.

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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that, whereas, default has been made in the payment of the moneys due under and by the terms of that certain promissory note, executed by Victory Manufacturing Co., a corporation, dated February 27, 1924, payable to the order of The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, and secured by a deed of trust of even date therewith executed by said Victory Manufacturing Co., a corporation, to August May and J. R. Blacow, trustees, and The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, the lender and beneficiary under said deed of trust, and which said deed of trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 567, at page 343, of Official Records, on the 8th day of March, 1924; and, Whereas, said The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, the owner and holder of said promissory note, and the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, did on the 22nd day of March, 1928, record a notice of said default and election to sell under said deed of trust in the office of said County Recorder, in Liber 1335, at page 202, of Official Records; and, whereas, said owner has requested and authorized said trustees to sell the property in said deed of trust and hereinafter described, pursuant to the terms of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, said August May and J. R. Blacow as such trustees under said deed of trust, will, on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1928, at the hour of 11 o'clock, a. m., at the office and banking room of the said The Bank of Alameda County, in the Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, said real property, being all those certain pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

PARCEL NO. 1. Beginning at a stake in the Southwesterly line of the County Road leading from Niles to Mission San Jose, distant North 42 degrees, 42 minutes, West One hundred and five (105) feet from the Northeast corner of a tract of land containing Two (2) acres conveyed by Joaquin Jose Silveria, to Manuel Jose Silveria by deed dated August 25th, 1890, and recorded in Liber 402 of Deeds, page 402, Records of Alameda County; and running thence along said line of County Road North 42 degrees, 42 minutes, West, One hundred (100) feet to a stake; thence South 47 degrees, 18 minutes, West, Two hundred and forty-eight (248) feet, more or less, to a point, distant Five (5) feet Northeast, measured at a right angle from the Northeast line of the projected Northwesterly of a certain concrete building used as a pumping plant; thence Southerly parallel to the latter mentioned line and distant Five (5) feet Northeast, therefrom to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant One (1) foot South-easterly measured at a right angle from the Southern line of said concrete building; thence along the last mentioned line Westerly to the intersection thereof with a prolongation Southerly of the Western line of said concrete building; thence Southerly to the intersection with the prolongation Northerly of a line parallel to and distant Two (2) feet Westerly, measured at a right angle from the Western line of a certain building, now being on tract herein described and known as the foundry; thence Southerly along said line parallel to the Western line of said foundry building and distant Two (2) feet Westerly therefrom, measured at a right angle to the intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant Ten (10) feet measured at a right angle Southerly from the Southern line of said foundry building; thence along the latter mentioned line Easterly to a point distant Thirty (30) feet Westerly measured at a right angle from the Eastern line of Parcel No. 3, as described in the Deed from J. B. Lanktree, Commissioner, etc., to A. D. Schindler, dated May 21st, 1919, and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County; thence following a line parallel to and distant Thirty (30) feet Westerly measured at a right angle from the last mentioned line, North 10 degrees, 29 minutes, West to the intersection with the prolongation Westerly of the South-easterly boundary line of a parcel of land now or formerly belonging to Jose Silveria; thence Northeast along the last mentioned prolongation to the intersection with the Southwestern boundary line of last mentioned parcel; thence along the said boundary line of said last mentioned parcel North 25 degrees, 26 minutes, West to the Western corner of said parcel; thence North 46 degrees, 45 minutes, East, One Hundred and fifty-five (155) feet to the point of beginning.

Also a perpetual easement over a certain parcel of land extending from said foundry building to the spur track of the Southern Pacific Company leading to a gravel pit on Alameda Creek and bounded as follows:

Northwesterly by the prolongation Southwesterly on the Southeast boundary line of said concrete building; Easterly by Western boundary line of premises above described; Westerly by said spur track, and Southerly by a line located at

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a right angle to said Western boundary line of said premises above described and intersecting the last mentioned boundary line at a point distant thereon One hundred (100) feet from the Southwesterly corner of said concrete building.

PARCEL NO. 2. Beginning at a stake One (1) foot Southeasterly measured at a right angle from the Southeast line of a certain concrete building used as a pumping plant and formerly owned by A. T. Ames Manufacturing Company, said stake being on the Southwesterly line (projected Southeasterly) of said concrete building; thence along said projected line North 41 degrees, 50 minutes, West One (1) foot to the Southern corner of said concrete building; thence South 77 degrees, 25 minutes, West, Fifty-two and 2-100 (52.02) feet to a stake in the Eastern line of the land of One Snyder; thence along said Snyder's land, North 12 degrees, 35 minutes, West, Thirty-eight and 52-100 (38.52) feet to a stake; thence along the Southeast line of the lands, now or formerly of one Max Schuckl, North 47 degrees, 18 minutes, East, Fifty-six and 52-100 (56.53) feet to a stake in said line, distant Five (5) feet Northeast, measured at a right angle from the Northeast line of the above mentioned concrete building; thence South 41 degrees, 50 minutes, East, Fifty-nine and 84-100 (59.84) feet (said line being parallel to the last named projected line, and distant Five (5) feet Northeast therefrom) and being the Southwesterly line of land now or formerly under agreement of sale by A. D. Schindler to Victory Motor Company, dated June 30th, 1919, to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant One (1) foot South-easterly measured at a right angle from the Southeast line of said concrete building; thence along the last mentioned line (which is also the Northwesterly boundary line of lands under agreement of sale above mentioned with Victory Motor Company) South 48 degrees, four hundredths minutes, West, Thirty (30) feet to the point of beginning.

Containing .081 of an acre, more or less, and being a portion of that tract of land conveyed by Joaquin Jose Silveria to Joseph J. Silveria, by deed dated August 23rd, 1902, and recorded in Liber 867 of Deeds, page 19, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County.

PARCEL NO. 3. Beginning at the Southeast corner of that certain piece or parcel of land described in that certain Deed from A. D. Schindler to Victory Motor Company, a corporation, dated September 8th, 1920, and recorded in Liber 2953 of Deeds, page 338, Records of Alameda County; and running thence along the Eastern line of said parcel North 10 degrees, 30 minutes, West, One hundred and twelve and 96-100 (112.96) feet; thence along the Southern boundary line of said parcel North 46 degrees, 54 minutes, East, Thirty-five and 61-100 (35.61) feet to the North-western corner of lands conveyed by Anna Silveria to Max Schuckl by deed dated August 5th, 1919, and recorded in Liber 2780 of Deeds, page 418, Records of Alameda County; thence along the Western line of said lands of Schuckl South 10 degrees, 30 minutes, East, One hundred and twenty-seven and 50-100 (127.50) feet; thence leaving said Western line South 70 degrees, 41 minutes, West, Thirty and 35-100 (30.35) feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL NO. 4. Beginning at a stake in the Southwesterly line of the County Road from Niles to Mission San Jose, being the North-easterly corner of the tract of land containing Two (2) acres conveyed by Joaquin Jose Silveria to Manuel Jose Silveria by Deed dated August 25th, 1890, and recorded in Liber 402 of Deeds, page 402, Records of Alameda County; and running thence along said line of County Road, North 42 degrees, 42 minutes, West, One Hundred and Five (105) feet to a stake; thence South 46 degrees, 45 minutes, West, One hundred and fifty-five (155) feet to a stake; thence South 25 degrees, 26 minutes, East, One hundred and ten (110) feet to a stake; thence North 46 degrees, 45 minutes, East, One hundred and Eighty-seven and 75-100 (187.75) feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 824-1000 (.824) of an acre and being a portion of that tract of land conveyed by Joaquin Jose Silveria to Joseph J. Silveria, by deed dated August 23, 1902, and recorded in Liber 867 of Deeds, page 19, Records of Alameda County.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of the United States. Said The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, being the owner of said promissory note and of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, or any other person, may purchase at said sale.

Dated at Alvarado, California, June 28, 1928.

AUGUST MAY, Trustee.

FRED B. MELLMANN, Attorney for said Trustees, 1704 Tribune Tower, Oakland, California.

Jy-5-12-19-26

Turlock—Eleven carloads strawberries shipped from Cortez section returned \$25,000.

The Register for job printing.

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## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

SEALED BIDS will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, at his office Monday, the 16th day of July, 1928, at ten thirty o'clock A. M. (the day when said bids will be opened and the contract awarded) for the construction of a combined concrete girder and steel girder bridge across Alameda Creek on County Road No. 1974 known as Niles Canyon Road, all in Washington Road District, No. 5, Washington Township, Alameda County, California.

Plans and specifications for said work are on file in the office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, in the Hall of Records Building, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, where copies may be obtained in the following manner, viz:

Contractors may secure complete copies of the plans and specifications by depositing with the County Clerk the sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars.

Contractors will be required to return copies of the plans and specifications in good condition to the office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, California, not later than the day upon which bids are to be opened for the above specified construction.

Deposits of Contractors failing to return said plans and specifications on or before the date of opening of bids will immediately become forfeited to the County of Alameda.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check of a bank of the State of California, or a National Bank doing business, in the State of California, for a sum equal to ten (10%) percent of the total amount bid made payable to Geo. E. Gross, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, to be forfeited to the County as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded, fail to enter into the contract after the award, or fail to give the bonds required by law and by the said specifications.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Dated: June 18, 1928. J21-28;Jy5-12

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

No. 43981—Department No. 4

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of THOMAS J. SULLIVAN, also known as T. J. SULLIVAN, deceased, to all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the law office of Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

ROBERT A. BLACOW, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Thomas J. Sullivan, also known as T. J. Sullivan, deceased. Dated at Niles, California, June 12, 1928.

Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Alameda County, California, attorney for said executor.

First publication, June 14, 1928. J14-21-28;Jy5-12

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

No. 43845

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olivia R. Mattos, formerly Olivia Vargas, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of the above named deceased, to all persons having claims against said deceased to, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers to me at the office of Jno. G. Mattos, Jr., at Centerville, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: June 11, 1928.

ROSALIA D. VARGAS, Administratrix of the estate of Olivia R. Mattos, formerly Olivia Vargas, deceased.

JNO. G. MATTOS, JR., attorney for administratrix, Centerville, California.

Date of first publication June 14, 1928. June 14-21-28; July 5-12

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Once in a while the office receives numerous articles lambasting us for something we've written or permitted to be printed, but what a monotonous world this would be if we all agreed; and it has been said too that adverse criticism is better advertisement than the most flattering praise.

Here's our first contribution—where it came from we do not know. What do you think of it? Some will agree, some will disagree, but one thing we know, all of you will read it, for those who read the Register AT all, read IT all.

"Do you ever wonder how a minister feels?"

Do you think your minister is worth getting acquainted with?

Do you ever feel as if you would like to tell him that you appreciate his work and have confidence in

him and hope he won't become discouraged by any apparent lack of response?

Perhaps we'd better take a chance on his appreciation of our frankness and tell him just what we think.

Shall we say that we want our town to have a church and minister and that, whether or not our religious views are exactly the same as his, we know he is doing a fine work in a fine way; that we need him and want him and will support him? And that, if we have any criticism, we will mention it first to him, and not at all to Mrs. A. who will tell Mrs. B. who will tell her neighbors?

And then some of us can promise OURSELVES that we will help fill up some of the empty seats a little better than we have been doing, realizing that we'll not only be helping ourselves a whole lot, but that it will be a real encouragement to our minister who is working so hard and asking no favors, and to those faithful workers we all know so well who look for no appreciation, and to the others there whose troubles will be easier to bear because of a smile and a handclasp.

How about a Minister's Day, when we can all tell him that he has helped us and that we want to help him?

"The trip by rail over the Sun-set Trail," from San Francisco to New York and return, also showing pictures of our wonderful national parks, which no doubt will be very interesting, as well as instructive. Show that their efforts are appreciated by every member being present that evening.

The Kraft Baseball team of Niles lost the first game of a three-game series with Newark, 9 to 12, last Sunday.

It was a hard fought game from start to finish, and well worth watching. Both teams were up on their toes and playing real baseball.

The second game of the series to be played at Newark next Sunday, July 8th, should be a good one now that the teams are acquainted with each other and the grounds. A good game should be the result.

## ALVARADO

The Ladies Aid had a meeting on Thursday. Mrs. Jung and her daughter were on the refreshment committee.

Miss Ruby Joyce celebrated her birthday on Sunday and had her relatives from the city and her fiancée, Mr. Geo. Harvey, to dinner.

Mrs. Talnton returned to her home in Oakland Sunday after visiting with Mrs. J. Ralph for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lemons and her three small children moved into the Harvey house on Vallejo street.

Theodore Logan is now at home with his parents. He is able to be around but still has his arm in a cast.

There are reports around that Mr. Petersen of the Niles theater proposes to build a new movie house in Alvarado.

## PERSONAL ITEMS

Miss Gertrude Ellsworth was hostess Tuesday evening to about eight of the younger group who enjoyed a wienie roast at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson, of San Jose, were recent visitors in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dias attended the presentation of "Hit the Deck" in Oakland this past week.

## Sport News

By GRACE L. MARTIN

LOCAL JUNIOR LEAGUE BALL  
TEAM CHOSEN BY BRISTOW

Washington Post American Legion Junior Baseball league will meet with the Livermore boys on the Pleasanton field at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, according to Manager E. D. Bristow, who announces the following members of the league selected by elimination:

Raymond Duarte, pitcher; Bud Ruschin, Bob Amyx, Jack Cahill, Cattano and John Santiago, Ernest Thompson, Clarence Soito, Alfred Ferrara, John Noble and Edward Bernard.

Pitcher Duarte holds a record of not more than five hits in any of the games played to date. Sunday before last the local boys lost to Hayward with a score of 7 to 5; last Sunday they won by default as the Pleasanton boys had some of their members over age. The score was 8 to 6.

The Worthy Matron of Orient Chapter O. E. S., has been very fortunate in securing wonderful program for the members of this chapter to be presented at their next meeting in Centerville, July 11, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Hudson, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific Company, of Oakland, and his assistants will show the pictures and give all explanations of

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## Newark Department

By JULIA RUSCHIN

The Misses Mary and Floribel Brown have gone to their summer home in Mont Hermon where they will spend a month.

Miss Lesda Sayles is home from her summer vacation from Stockton where she has been teaching school.

The Misses Aileen and Adele Steinhoff and Julia Ruschin spent the Fourth of July in San Francisco.

Mr. Hainan and Mr. Bernard, two members of the Gileons, gave short addresses telling of their work at the Presbyterian church last Sunday.

Miss Anne Bode passed away at the home of her nephew, Albert Peake, last Wednesday. Services were at Hayward and burial took place in the Irvington cemetery.

Mrs. Eph. Musick and daughter, Beth, left this week for Long Beach to visit relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt were visitors to the bay cities last week.

Mrs. D. Sperr was called to Oakland last week by the death of an old friend there.

Frank Jones is spending two weeks at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wales and children and Mrs. Chas. Cockfair spent last week in Loomis visiting with Harold Wales and family.

Henry Burdick and Harry Bedford, old time residents of Newark, visited with friends here Sunday.

Many Newark people have left for a two weeks' stay in Yosemite. Among those who have gone are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dittman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoffman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bertolatti and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slevin, Henry Josten and Miss Mae Marlow, Miss Irene Freitas and Harry Fields.

Mrs. F. A. Silva has been confined to her bed for the past week but is reported improving.

Miss Mildred Sayles and Miss Mabel Pyffe spent the week-end in Watsonville visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Margaret Laudenschlager has left to spend a week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Silva at their summer home in Monterey.

Miss Elsa Anderson of the James Graham Manufacturing company of rice force has left for a two weeks vacation.

## PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Law motored to Watsonville over the week-end. Miss Doris Law will remain with friends for a month's visit where her sister, Miss Mildred Law, has been also for a few weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Law spent the Fourth in Santa Cruz.

Ed Rose is away on a fishing trip.

Dr. H. E. Morrison will leave shortly for his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Godwin, of San Francisco, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend. Mr. and Mrs. L. Horne from Burlingame were here for the Fourth.

The Townsend family spent last Thursday in San Jose.

Mrs. Ralph Richmond will entertain the Friendly Bridge Club next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Jackson Townsend and Howard Rose left Monday, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Rose, the boys to attend Diamond Camp for two weeks.

Miss Elizabeth Shinn has returned from the Girl Scout camp and expects to visit with her in Niles for a while.

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## P. T. A. Asks Aid of Newspapers In Child Character Development

Matters vitally affecting the development into useful citizens of the children of the country formed the basis for much of the discussion at the state convention of Parent-Teacher Associations held recently at Santa Cruz, (official reports from this meeting having been brought back by Mrs. H. C. Roland, Niles delegate).

Such matters as hasty marriages and easy divorce, the Volstead Act, equal salary for men and women teachers, child labor, roadhouses and dance halls, motion pictures and increased federal appropriations for home economics and agricultural education were among topics discussed, as follows:

In conformity with the statement published in The Register week before last regarding the 7-fold purposes of the Parent-Teacher program—worthy home membership, measures for health, mastery of tools and technics and spirit of learning, measures for vocational and economic effectiveness, measures for faithful citizenship for the wise use of leisure and for ethical character—the Congress adopted the following resolutions as suggested to local associations for programs of work:

### Worthy Homes

a. The Congress deplores hasty marriages and easy divorce as destructive of sound family life.

b. It supports educational and legislative measures for raising the standards of home life.

c. It endorses worthy projects for better housing, better building codes, better parks and neighborhood playgrounds and better city and regional planning.

d. It urges upon its members the active furtherance of courses in

parental education and home study.

### Health.

a. The California Congress reaffirms its stand in favor of the Volstead Act and its impartial enforcement.

b. It also reaffirms its stand on narcotic education concerned with the use of alcohol and other habit-forming drugs.

c. It commends the general work of the Children's Bureau in behalf of the children of the United States, and the cooperative activities carried on under the Sheppard Tower Act. Since this act terminates June 30, 1929, the Congress urges that similar work be maintained by the states for reducing the hazards of maternity and infancy and for promoting the health of mothers and children.

### Asks Aid of Press.

a. The Congress favors methods of selecting state and county superintendents which will secure the highest type of professional leadership in these fields.

b. It declares that men and women should receive equal compensation for similar teaching service and that there should be established a single salary schedule for equal preparation and ability, regardless of the grade taught.

c. Realizing that the daily press exercises a serious influence upon the feelings and thought of the youth of the nation, the Congress urges the press to give less prominence to details of crime and divorce.

### Vocational Effectiveness.

a. The Congress urges its state branches to continue their efforts for the ratification of the proposed Child Labor amendment and pending its acceptance, to work for the passage of state laws.

b. It endorses and urges the passage of the George Reed bill providing increased federal appropriations for home economics and agricultural education.

### Faithful Citizenship.

a. The Congress urges the study, observance and upholding of our laws as a fundamental necessity of democracy.

(Next week's article will discuss the program of the Parent-Teacher Association regarding the wise use of leisure, motion pictures, night clubs and roadhouses, and methods of spiritual and character education).

## Petersen Will Erect New Alvarado Theater

Chas. Petersen, of the Niles theater, announces that he is considering the construction of a new moving picture theater in Alvarado in the not far distant future.

Miss Lucy Shinn is leaving on the 9th for a month's vacation in the Canadian Rockies with the Sierra Club. They will visit Jasper National Park and other points of interest.

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## Editorials

By Norman H. Parks  
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course as a cripple perhaps, for the rest of his days, or envisioned him on his death-bed with sorrowing relatives and friends there to pay the price of our desire for vicious amusement.

But after awhile, we put the man out of our thoughts, with true Spartan spirit, to witness a horse race between a number of very likely steeds. The jockeys were a bunch of pretty girls that knew how to ride and handle horse-flesh. We were surprised at how refined the girls appeared to be. We had thought that a girl who would follow this game, must be of pretty course fibre, but here we were wrong.

It took these girls a long time to get off. They were true jockeys of the turf and played hard for an even break or better at the crack of the pistol shot. Then they were gone. It was a pretty sight as they raced around the mile-track. Leaning far over the horse's necks the fair riders were urging their mounts to the greatest exertion and speed. But they needed no urging. The horses were more excited over the event than even the spectators and not a "welcher" in the lot. It was a pretty race, and inspiring. We thought, as we gazed at that contest of speed, that if human beings would make the same supreme effort those dumb animals made that afternoon, failures in life would be far more rare.

Horse racing is a splendid sport, and eliminating the betting feature, it would be hard for anyone to find flaws in such a diversion.

They had other races, but the girls predominated in these events. We remember one little girl with Mary Pickford curls and garbed in blue overalls and boy's shirt. She was a sweet-faced child, apparently of fifteen. She was so anxious to win. In the relay race she held the lead in two times around the track and then lost on the final lap. Our heart went out to the little Miss, and if applied psychology could have worked that day she would have won the heat. We worked for her all around the track, but our science failed. We were sorrier than she was. Her father—we are sure it was her father—was with her on the run-way, and put his arms around her when the race was over, consoling her in her disappointment. He looked like a man that had followed the races for a life-time, and the little girl doubtless was born in the shadow of the turf.

But the pleasant scene shifts and the bulldogging begins. Cruelty to animals—rot! But to man—that's a different tale.

They rush by us, spring from the horse's back upon the surging horns of the steer. For yards the daring cowboy is dragged over the ground, then down comes the steer and the trained strength and science of man triumphs over that of the animal.

Another one races by—and so on—then, horrors! The steer throws his tormentor and tramples upon him. The man lies still and the steer rushes on down the open space. Again the stretcher bearers trot up. The man is lifted up tenderly and placed on the canvas. As they file solemnly by the bleachers, the band strikes up a lively air. Why, we do not know. It seems crass to us, and out of place. We close our eyes, and before us rises the arena of the Caesars. Beside us and all around us were thousands of sandalled and gaily dressed Romans. It was a holiday. Nero was giving the mob a diversion. Men were fighting to a sanguinary finish. Wild beasts were tearing the entrails out of humans to add to the thrill of the Roman holiday. Two gladiators brought from the far away possessions of the empire were matching strength and wits with net and dagger; while about us, the people were shouting and gesticulating with utter abandonment. We looked down into the pit. One combatant lay prostrate on the ground with blood oozing

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from his heart and the victor stood with his heel planted on his fallen foe's chest. The music started up and then died.

Some one shook our arm and we came out of the revery. The band had stopped playing. The rodeo was over, and our host said it was time to go home.

## P. G. & E. MAINS WILL BE HERE LAST OF WEEK

Another Cooking School To  
Be Held Two Days  
Next Week

So many demands have been made for another session of the Pacific Gas and Electric company cooking school that an additional one will be held next week on Wednesday and Thursday from 2 to 4 o'clock with Mrs. Farnsworth in charge. According to Geo. L. Donovan, local representative, gas will be in Niles the latter part of this week or the first of next.

At the local office T. L. James and Miss Frances Ayers are in charge with a staff of four, Robert McCrary, W. W. Mackey, Ned Alder and H. Paxton who are in this territory to explain the use of gas appliances and to give whatever assistance they can to new patrons who are installing gas heating or cooking systems.

Use Typewriter For  
All Correspondence

In these days of hustle and bustle the typewritten letter is being accepted and even preferred not only for business communications but for social correspondence as well. In addition to the fact that it saves time for the writer, it saves time and mental fatigue for the reader who escapes the deciphering of hieroglyphics so many people call writing in these days of not-enough-time.

In the classified columns of The Register this week, it is noted that a good Remington typewriter of standard design is offered for sale at a real bargain. Those interested should refer to the advertisement and investigate the matter.

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## MRS. ELLSWORTH HAS SERIES OF ENTERTAINMENTS

A series of beautifully appointed luncheons and suppers have been given this past week by Mrs. Edward B. Ellsworth in honor of her houseguest, Mrs. Alfred Siebert, of St. Louis, and a recent bride, Mrs. Edward B. Ellsworth, of Berkeley.

On Saturday nine tables were entertained with a bridge luncheon, table accessories and cut flowers for the house carrying out a variegated color scheme of unusual beauty. Prizes were awarded as follows: High, Mrs. Robert Fisher; second, Mrs. Siebert and low, Mrs. J. E. Townsend.

Saturday evening five tables of guests enjoyed a bridge supper, prizes going to Mrs. Siebert and Marston Dassel, high scores; and Mrs. F. V. Jones and Mr. Siebert, low.

On Sunday a family dinner was served picnic style in the garden, the following being present: Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Ellsworth, Mrs. Alfred Siebert; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smethers and family from Ripon, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and family from Modesto; Mrs. Mable Cole of Vacaville; William Cole, of San Francisco; Miss Madeline Wood from San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Marston Dassel and Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones and the E. A. Ellsworth family, of Niles.

Doctor Siebert arrived this week and will visit here until the 8th.

ATASCADERO—Fire truck purchased by Atascadero fire district.

HYNES—\$160,000 bonds voted here for installation of water system.

WALNUT GROVE—Pacific Fruit Exchange moves into its new quarters east of Southern Pacific tracks.

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